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SUBJECT: GRUNK RELATIONS WITH THE OUTSIDE WORLD

1. AUSTRIALIAN OFFICIALS HERE PROVIDED US WITH THE
FOLLOWING INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM THE SWEDISH
EMBASSY IN PEKING CONCERNING CAMBODIAN EXTERNAL
RELATIONS.

2. ACCORDING TO THE SWEDES, THE GRUNK EMBASSY
IN PEKING TOLD THEM THAT 90 COUNTRIES RECOGNIZE
GRUNK AND SWEDEN WAS THE TWENTIETH COUNTRY TO HAVE
"RECIEVED AGREEMENT". AS FAR AS THE SWEDES HAVE
BEEN ABLE TO MAKE OUT, SWEDAN IS THE ONLY COUNTRY TO
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HAVE GAINED ACCREDIATION SINCE THE CAPUTRE OF PHNON PEHN.

CHINA, DRV AND DPRK, WHO HAVE RESIDNET AMBASSADORS IN PHONOM
PEHN ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE THEIR FORMER AMBASSADORS WHOSE
ACCREDITATION STILL STANDS FROM THE TIME BEFORE THE
PRINCE'S OVERTHROW BY LON NOL. SOME COUNTRIES GAINED
ACCREDITATION DURING THE PERIOD
OF EXILE. THE GRUNK EMBASSY ALSO CONFIRMED THAT ALBANIA,
RUMINA AND YUGOSLAVIA WOULD HAVE AMBASSADORS IN PHONOM
PENH SOMETIME DURING THE COMING YEAR.

3. ACCORDING TO THE SAME REPORT, INDIA, SRI LANKA
AND LIBERIA RECOGNIZED GRUNK IN EARLY APRIL 1975. FRANCE
RECOGNIZED ON 12 APRIL AND SWEDAN ON 15 APRIL.

4. JUST FOR THE RECORD, THE FOLLWOING IS THE SWEDISH
LIST (INCOMPLETE) OF COUTRIES RECOGNISING GRUNK:
AFGHANISTAN, ALBANIA, ALGERIA, BANGLADESH, BULGARIA,
BURUNDI, CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC, CONGO, CUBA, DAHOMEY,
EGYPT, EQUATORIAL GUINEA, GABON, GAMBIA, GHANA, GUINEA,
GUINEA-BISSAU, GUYANA, IRAN, YUGOSLAVIA, CAMEROON, CHINA,
KUWAIT, LIBYA, MADAGASCAR, MALI, MALTA, MOROCCO,
MAURITANIA, MAURITIUS, MONGOLIA, NIGER, NORTH YEMEN,
NORTH KOREA, NORTH VIETNAM, OMAN, PAKISTAN, POLAND,
QATAR, SUDAN, SENEGAL, SIERRA LEONE, SOMALIA, USSR,
SOUTH YEMEN, SOUTH VIETNAM. SYRIA, TANZANIA, CHAD
CZECHOSLAVIKIA, TOGO, TUNISIA, UGANDA, HUNGRY, UPPER
VOLTA, EAST GERMANY, PLO AND LAOS" AGREED", CHILE
"UNILATERAL".

5. THE CONGEN WOULD APPRECIATE RECIVING A LIST OF
COUNTRIES HAVING RELATIONS WITH GRUNK FROM THE DEPARTMENT.
A LIST OF THOSE WITH RELATIONS WITH THE DRV AND PRG WOULD
ALSO BE USEFUL.
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